## 20. **REMARKS**

Claim 6 has been amended to provide proper antecedent basis.

Claim 7 has been amended to provide proper antecedent basis.

Claim 13 has been amended to remove the phrase "including tumor angiogenesis", and

Claim 19 has been added to provide species coverage of the genus claimed in Claim 13, to more particularly point out an aspect of the present invention.

## Rejection under 35 U.S.C. § 112, first and second paragraph

Reconsideration and withdrawal of rejection of claims 6, 7, and 13 under 35 U.S.C. § 112 is requested.

On page two of the Office Action, the Examiner rejected claims 6, 7, and 13 under 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph, as being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter which applicant regards as the invention.

Applicants respectfully request withdrawal of the rejection for the following reasons:

- I. Claims 6 and 7 have been amended to reflect dependency on compound claims 5 and 6, respectively.
- II. Claim 13 has been amended to read "angiogenesis", and new dependant claim 19 has been added to include "tumor angiogenesis."

In view of the foregoing amendments, it is respectfully submitted that all claims now active in the present application are in condition for allowance. Therefore, passage of the application and claims to issue is respectfully requested.

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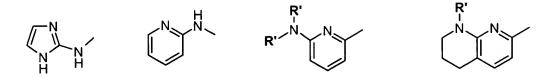
Version of Claims with Markings to Show Changes Made

6. (Once amended) A pharmaceutical composition of claim [2] 5 wherein :

G is selected from the group consisting of

$$a) \qquad \textbf{Q'} \quad \begin{matrix} \textbf{Q} \\ \textbf{N} \\ \textbf{N} \end{matrix} \qquad \begin{matrix} \textbf{Q} \\ \textbf{N} \\ \textbf{N} \end{matrix}$$

wherein Q is NH or O and Q' is selected from the group consisting of H,  $C_1$ - $C_6$  alkyl, phenyl, and phenyl- $C_1$ - $C_4$ -alkyl;



B is  $(CH_2)_q$  where q is 2,3,4;

R2 is a phenyl or pyridine ring unsubstituted or optionally substituted by one to three substituents independently selected from the group consisting of H, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub> alkyl, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub> alkoxy, OH, halogen, CF<sub>3</sub>.

7. (Once amended) A pharmaceutical composition of claim [3]  $\underline{6}$  wherein:

G is selected from the group consisting of

- 13. (Once amended) The method according to claim 9, wherein the condition treated is bone resorption, osteoporosis, humoral hypercalcemia of malignancy, Paget's disease, tumor metastasis, neoplasia (solid tumor growth), angiogenesis [including tumor angiogenesis], diabetic retinopathy, arthritis, psoriasis and periodontal disease, or smooth muscle cell migration including restenosis.
- 19. (New) The method according to claim 9, wherein the condition treated is tumor angiogenesis.